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Amended June Monthly Report (5/01/00-5/31/00) dated 7/13/00

Dear Ms. Mehan:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses a contribution(s) to a candidate(s) for the Primary election; however, the funds were disbursed after the election date(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). Please note that contributions may not be designated for an election which has already occurred unless the funds are to be used to reduce a candidate committee's debts incurred during that election campaign. Please clarify the contribution(s) and disclose any redesignations or refunds as necessary on the appropriate schedules.

-Your report discloses activity that falls outside the reporting period. Please amend this report by including only the financial transactions that occurred between May 1, 2000 and May 31, 2000. Any activity occurring outside this reporting period should be included in the appropriate report(s). 2 U.S.C. §434(b)

-For your information, each category on the Detailed Summary Page for which your committee discloses activity must have a <u>separate</u> schedule. Please note this for future filings.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days